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April 7, 2004

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DAVE PENNEY
PENNEY'S GEMSTONES
PO BOX 312
BEAVER UT 84713

Dear Mr. Penney:

We have again received new guidance on calculating 43 CFR 3809 financial guarantees. Using this new guidance, we have recalculated five reclamation cost estimates and are sending them for your review. They are as follows:

1. UTU-070615	Rapunzel Project	\$1,000.00-5/023/083
2. UTU-070660	Little Spot	9,800.00-5/027/024
3. UTU-075877	Fantasyland	2,600.00-5/027/096
4. UTU-075878	Pretty in Pink	3,000.00-5/027/093 - *
5. UTU-078293	White Tiger	1,800.00-5/027/093
		\$18,200.00

We have consulted with Ed Ginouves of the Cedar City Field Office, and Rita Stelmach of the Utah State Office, and have ascertained that \$26,000 of the total \$50,000 you submitted as a nationwide bond has been earmarked for the Cedar City Office. With your concurrence with the above amounts, another \$18,200 will be earmarked, leaving an excess of \$5800 in the financial guarantee.

Sincerely,

Jerry Mansfield
Geologist

Enclosures:

Reclamation Cost Estimates

cc: Tom Munson (w copies of RCE's), UDOGM (S/023/083, S/027/024, S/027/096, S/027/073, S/027/093)

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DIV. OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Reclamation Cost Model
For Existing Notice Level Operations

5/027/073
UTU-075878

Dozer Work				Earthwork
	Acres		Cost/Acre	
Light	0	Recontouring Cost	\$ 330.00	\$0.00
Moderate	0	Recontouring Cost	\$ 990.00	\$0.00
Heavy	0	Recontouring Cost	\$1,485.00	\$0.00
Excavator Work				
Roads with the side Slope,	Linear Feet		Cost/Linear Foot	
<30%	400	Recontouring Cost	\$ 1.50	\$600.00
>30%	0	Recontouring Cost	\$ 2.40	\$0.00
Areas of non-road disturbance where the use of dozer wouldn't be adequate.	Acres		Cost /Acre	
<30%	1	Recontouring Cost	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
>30%	0	Recontouring Cost	\$7,465.00	\$0.00
Revegetation				Revegetation
	Acres		Cost/Acre	
Non-Road disturbances with machine spreader	0	Revegetation Cost	\$ 600.00	\$0.00
Non-Road disturbances with manual spreading	1.6	Revegetation Cost	\$150.00	\$240.00
	Linear Feet		Cost/Linear Foot	
Road disturbances with machine spreader	0	Revegetation Cost	\$ 0.20	\$0.00
Road disturbances with manual spreader	0	Revegetation Cost	\$0.05	\$0.00
Mobilization				Mobilization
	No. Pieces of equipment		Cost/Piece	
	1	Mobilization Cost	\$ 400.00	\$400.00
Total Labor Cost	\$ 1,596.25	Total Operating and Maintanance (O&M) Cost		\$2,240.00
		Contractor's Profit	10% O&M Cost	\$224.00
		Estimated Contract		\$2,464.00
		Contingency	10% O&M Cost	\$224.00
		Total Estimated Contract and Contingency		\$2,688.00
Administrative Fees				
		Contract Administratio	10% O&M Cost	\$224.00
		Indirect Costs	21% Administrative Cost	\$47.04
		*Engineering/Design	4% O&M Cost	\$0.00
		Insurance	1.5% Labor Cost	\$23.94
		**Bond Maintenance	3% Rec. Cost	\$0.00
*May be waived for small, uncomplicated reclamation efforts...				
For operations such as heap leaches the percent may need to be higher.				
* *Only Administered if Estimated Contract Costs over \$100,000.				
Total Administative Cost				\$294.98
Bond Amount				\$2,982.98